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## VIA ECF

The Hon. Renée Marie Bumb Chief United States District Judge District of New Jersey Mitchell H. Cohen Building & U.S. Courthouse 4th & Cooper Streets, Room 1050 Camden, NJ 08101

RE: In re Valsartan, Losartan, and Irbesartan Products Liability Litigation, No. 1:19-md-2875-RBK-KMW (D.N.J.)

Dear Chief Judge Bumb:

I write regarding the motion date for ZHP's objection to Special Master Order 98, which awarded certain sanctions against ZHP. This motion is currently set for July 1, 2024. ZHP had previously requested that the Court hear any oral argument on its objection to Special Master Order 97 (regarding the ZHP Defendants' motion for leave to file a second amended answer) at the status conference set for July 23, 2024. (See ECF 2725.) For the convenience of the Court and the parties, ZHP respectfully requests that the Court hold any oral argument it wishes to hear on the motion regarding Special Master Order 98 at the same July 23 status conference. Counsel for Plaintiffs have stated that they do not object to this request.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

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cc: All counsel of record (via ECF)